

Our ref: Your ref: Warwick District Council Draft Air Quality Supplementary Planning Document

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Dear Hayley,

DRAFT AIR QUALITY SUPPLEMENTARY PLANNING DOCUMENT CONSULTATION

Thank you for forwarding me details of the above Draft Air Quality Supplementary Planning Document received on 5th September 2018.

Highways England has been appointed by the Secretary of State for Transport as strategic highway company under the provisions of the Infrastructure Act 2015 and is the highway authority, traffic authority and street authority for the Strategic Road Network (SRN). It is our role to maintain the safe and efficient operation of the SRN whilst acting as a delivery partner to national economic growth.

We have reviewed the consultation document provided. Given the distance of the SRN to the locations that it specifies, we can confirm that the plans and policies set out within the Draft Air Quality Supplementary Planning Document are unlikely to have implications for the continued safe operation and functionality of the SRN.

We welcome the opportunity to provide comments to this consultation, and support the sustainable development principles contained within the Air Quality SPD, but have no comments to make on its contents.

Please do not hesitate to contact me if you require any more information or clarification.

Yours sincerely,

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